## UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI EASTERN DIVISION

IN RE:	)	)	NO: 12-47206-399
	)	)	CHAPTER 13
Lisa Gerstner,	)	)	
	)	)	
	Debtor. )	)	Hearing Date: 12/2/15
	)	)	Hearing Time: 10:00 a.m.
	)	)	Location: St. Louis Courtroom 5 North

## TRUSTEE'S RESPONSE TO MOTION TO INCUR DEBT

Comes now John V. LaBarge, Jr., Standing Chapter 13 Trustee, and states as follows:

- 1. Debtor seeks to incur a home equity loan in the amount of \$28,445 so that she can complete her chapter 13 case in 12/2015.
- 2. In conjunction with the present motion to incur debt, Debtor filed a third amended plan which provides a 100% guarantee to non-priority unsecured creditors and calls for a lump sum payment of \$28,445 to be paid to the Trustee in 12/2015.
- 3. The Trustee has no objection to Debtor's motion to incur debt so long as the third amended plan is confirmed before Debtor incurs the debt.
- a) Since Debtor is seeking to encumber non-exempt bankruptcy estate property with the loan, Debtor should first become legally obligated to pay 100% to non-priority unsecured creditors by obtaining a confirmation order for the third amended plan and its 100% guarantee.

Respectfully Submitted,

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that the above Trustee's Response was served this  $\underline{6th}$  day of November 2015, electronically via CM/ECF to:

Ghafoor, Cook & Associates 136 E. Walnut, Suite 300 Independence, MO 64050

The undersigned hereby certifies that the above Trustee's Response was served this <u>6th</u> day of November 2015, by depositing same in the U.S. mail, postage pre-paid, addressed to:

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/s/ Joseph M. Wilson